

Health Department Fees Just Pay for the Services

By BURTON W. CHACE - County Supervisor

There has been some concern expressed over the recent increase in public health inspection fees imposed by the county, and a word of explanation is in order.

Health Department a few years back. Because the old fees were not scientifically substantiated, a more realistic schedule was sought. The result is the present fee structure which has been in effect for a few months. A business in charged, as closely as possible, the cost for the visits by sanitarians.

registering voters throughout the county in preparation for the Nov. 5 general election. Deadline for registration is Sept. 12, and interest is increasing rapidly as the pre-election activity continues.

Persons who have to register are those who have moved since last voting; who did not vote in the November, 1966, General Election and who have not reregistered; who have changed their name legally, including women who have married. Also those who have been in the state one year, in the county 90 days and in their precinct 54 days by Nov. 5; and those who will be age 21 on or before Nov. 5.

If you fall into one of these categories, let me suggest that you register immediately and avoid the inevitable crowds. Too many people put it off until the last minute and are discouraged by long lines or they simply forget.

CIRCULATION IN the County Public Library System increased substantially during July over a year ago, even though five fewer libraries were being operated.

The five libraries not now operated by the county are part of the Torrance library system, which was formed this year.

SACRAMENTO — The State Board of Equalization reported the average property assessment in Los Angeles County was confirmed today at 23.9 per cent of market value which compares with the market value assessment for 1967 set at 24.7 per cent.

The fee increase was ordered by the Board of Supervisors last July 1 after an 18-month study was made of inspections conducted by the County Health Department. The inspections are necessary to make certain business establishments meet the public health code.

As a preface, let me point out that I do not entirely agree with the breakdown of fees imposed, particularly as it affects small businesses. I have asked that the Public Health Commission follow up the recent study with a recommendation which would aid the smaller establishments.

THE FEES were increased to make the service self-supporting. This policy was recommended by the Grand Jury, and the new fee structure will recover 98 per cent of the cost of performing the inspection service.

It will be a tough decision to make under the limits of the law and changes in the fee structure will not be possible this year. I have asked that the commission's recommendations be ready in plenty of time for the matter to be reconsidered before the next fiscal year, when changes could be made, if they are advisable.

SOME 5,000 registrars are

Aerospace Firm Moves Facilities to Del Amo

Halex, Inc., has moved its headquarters and manufacturing operations into a 35,000-square-foot building at 3500 Torrance Blvd., in the Del Amo Center. The firm was formerly located in El Segundo.

sen said the new plant will enable Halex to achieve a four-fold increase in production. He estimates volume will more than double during the coming year.

According to Larson, major reasons for moving to Del Amo are its central location to the aerospace industry and the high quality labor pool in the area. The company, founded in 1958, employs 100 persons at its Del Amo plant.

Newberry's To Observe Opening

Newberry's will celebrate the grand opening of its newly remodeled Rolling Hills Plaza store this week. The store, located at Pacific Coast Highway and Crenshaw Boulevard, offers opening sale items in today's editions of the Press Herald.

Contract Awarded For Road

The entire Shoestring Strip length of 228th Street coursing from Western Avenue to Tomlinson Road will be paved and improved under a \$97,562.17 contract awarded today by the Los Angeles Board of Public Works.

District Councilman John S. Gibson Jr. said the board gave the construction contract to the Griffith Co. whose bid was the lowest of four.

Councilman Gibson said the job is expected to be completed in 80 working days. The plans call for constructing asphalt concrete pavement with concrete curbs, gutters, sidewalks and driveways along this segment of 228th Street.

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